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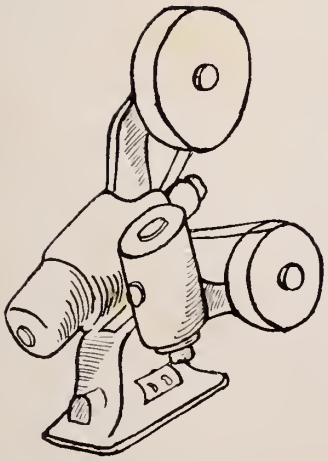

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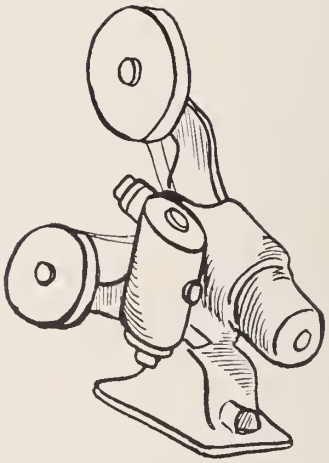

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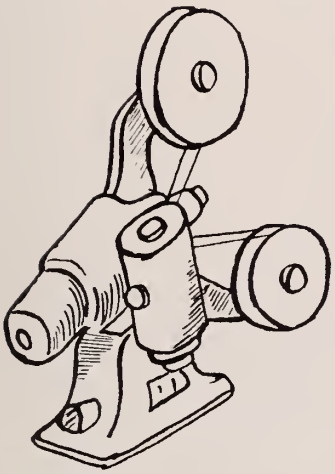
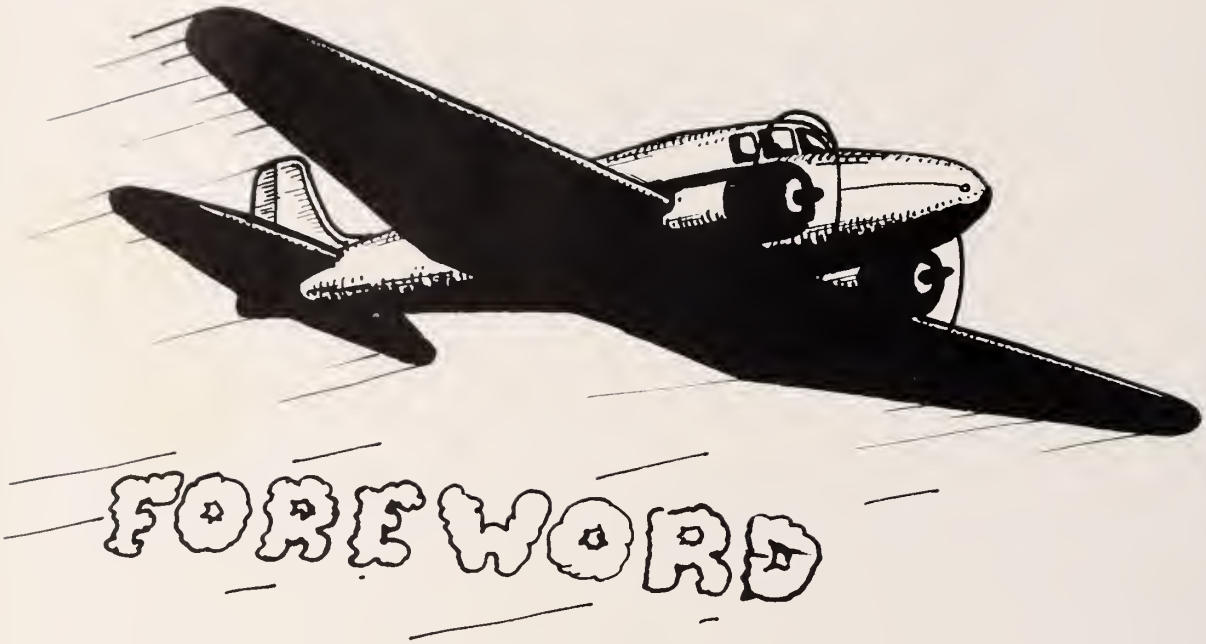
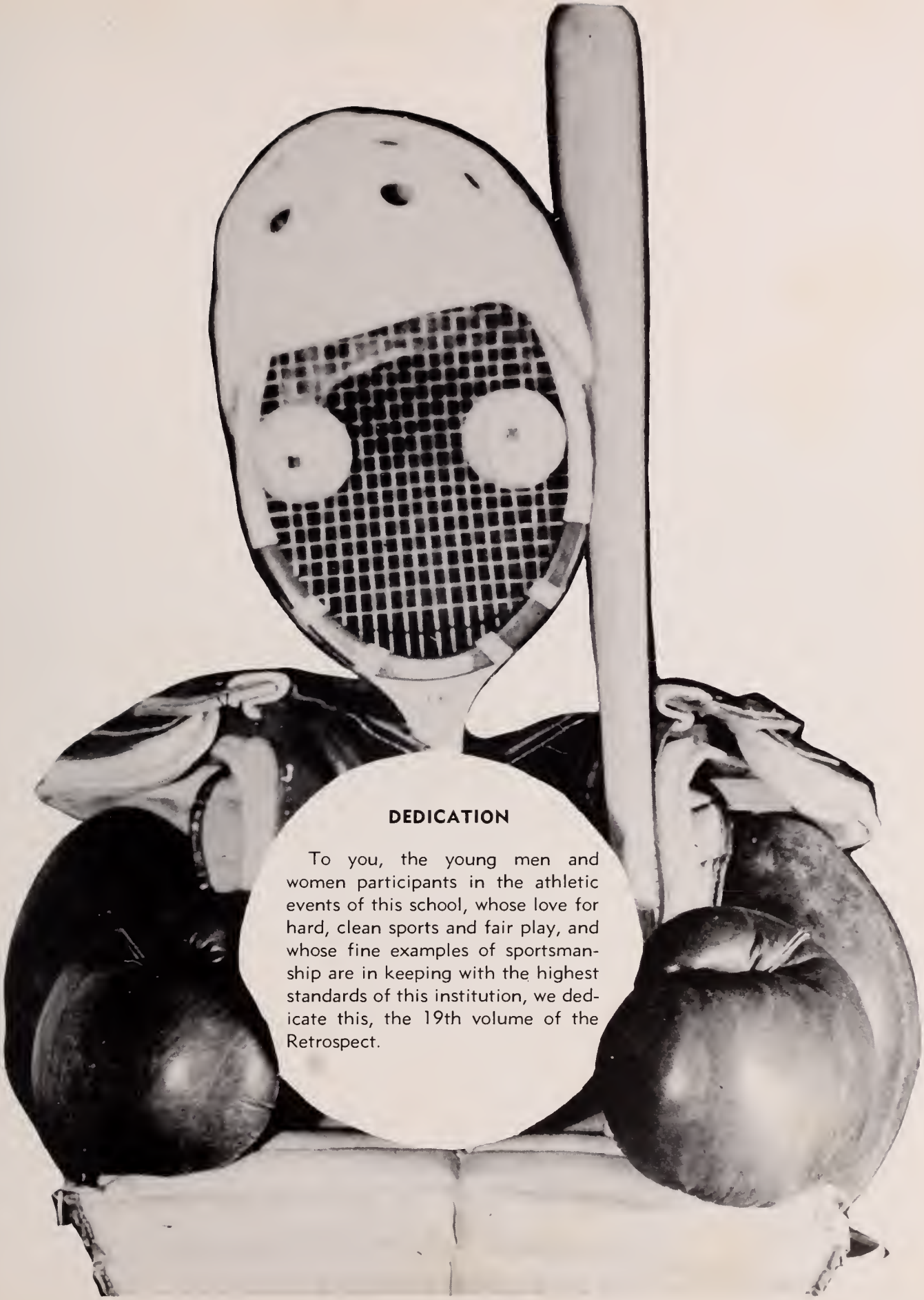




Memory is the elusive quality of mind that enables us, not only to snatch from some obscure niche of our brain the date necessary to pass a history exam, but also to relive at will the gaiety and laughter of our past. We, your annual staff, have prepared this book to make clearer and more graphic these reminiscences of life at S.J.C. and S.A.H.S. so that in after years they will become more and more precious . .



DEDICATION

To you, the young men and women participants in the athletic events of this school, whose love for hard, clean sports and fair play, and whose fine examples of sportsmanship are in keeping with the highest standards of this institution, we dedicate this, the 19th volume of the Retrospect.

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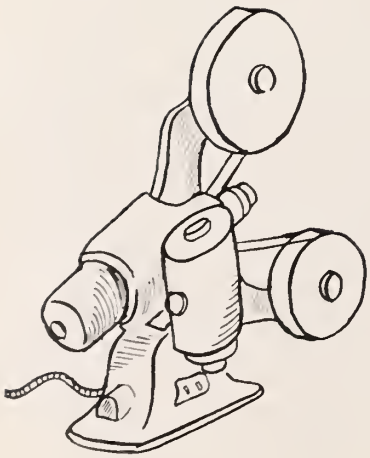

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

During the session 1947-48, remarkable strides have been made in the development of an all-round program. The spirit of Sunflower Junior College is surging forth. The football team has shown a great spirit to win; the band has made unusual progress; the glee club has become a fine organization; the dramatic club presentations are excellent. We are all justly proud of this fine demonstration of ability and spirit.

Sunflower Agricultural High School was founded in 1911. The high school was developed for the purpose of meeting the need of rural boys and girls who did not have access to any other high school. The high school is accredited by the Southern Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges.

Sunflower Junior College was established in 1926. The junior college has continuously held the respect both of the people it serves and of the senior institutions to which its students go. Sunflower Junior College is a member ot the American Association of Junior Colleges and the Southern Asociation of Secondary Schools and Colleges.

Sunflower Junior College and Agriculture High School is trying to meet the needs of the community. With the cooperation of the faculty, student body, citizens of the area, we can plan our program in such a way as to improve our community life and make this a better area in which to live.

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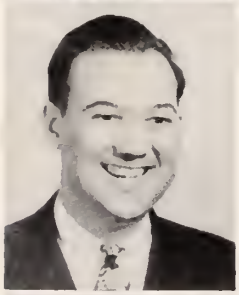

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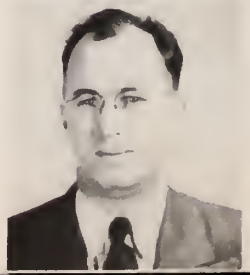

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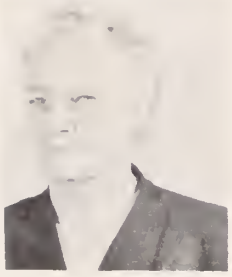

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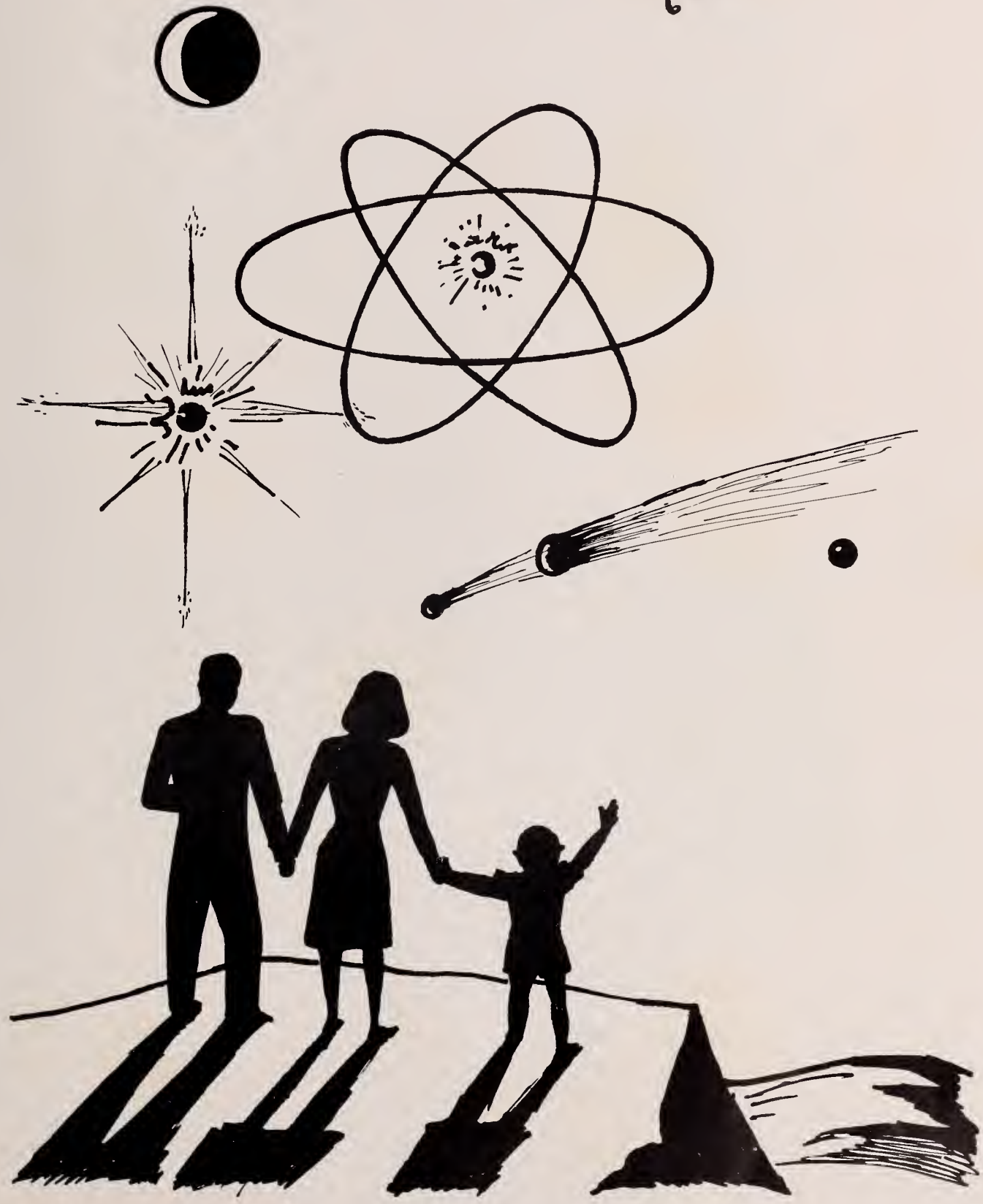

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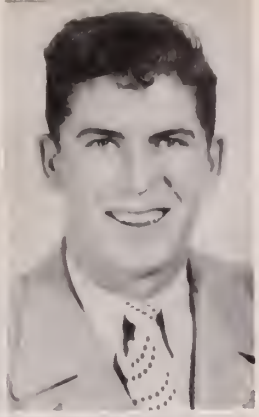
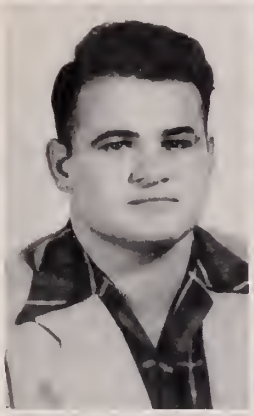
"With woman the heart argues, not the mind."



John Bean Columbus
Int. Rel. Club; Band 1, 2; Lee Society."
"The time has come to talk of many things."

Jimmie Bellipanni Indianola
"Jungle Monkey"
Int. Rel. Club 1; F.T.A. 2; V.-Pres. Lee Society 2; Football 1; Baseball 1, 2; Football Mgr. 2.
"A jolly good pal and we're all for him."



Emma Jean Bennett Clarksdale
"Goat"
B.S.U.; F.T.A. 2; Basketball 1, 2; Who's Who 1; Wilson Society.
"A merry heart maketh one glad."

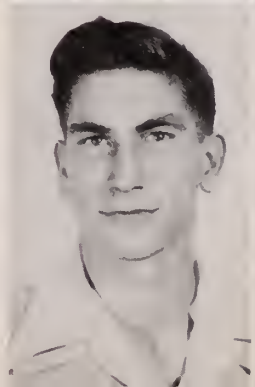
L. W. Bishop Morton
"Sporty"
Phi Theta Kappa 2; Band; Lee Society.
"I carry all my possessions with me."

Marion Boyles Minter City
"Peck"
Band; Wilson Society.
"It always was the biggest fish I caught that got away."

Pate Brown Cascilla
Phi Theta Kappa 2; Sports Editor, Sunflower **Petals;** Tennis Team 1, 2; Wilson Society.
"A man of hope and forward looking mind."

Bertrand Burchfield Stewart
"Burch"
Int. Rel. Club 1, 2, V.-Pres. 2; Lee Society; Photographer for **Retrospect** 1.
"Earned by the sweat of my brow."

Billy Burle Greenville
Lee Society
"What's the use of wasting dynamite when insect powder will do."



Joe Byars Cascilla
Lee Society; Basketball 1, 2.
"Now let me tell you a story."

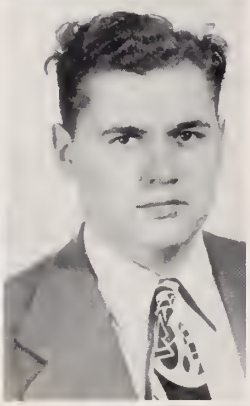
Harvey Carter Glen Allen
B.S.U. 1, 2; Y.M.C.A. 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2; Int. Rel. Club 1, 2; Dramatics 1, 2; F.T.A. 2; Wilson Society; Quartet; Track.
"None but himself can be his parallel."

Robert A. Cocke Sherard
Lee Society
"Says he, 'I am a handsome man, but I am a gay deceiver.' "

Walter Crafton Belen
Lee Society
"Life is far too important a thing to talk seriously about."

Charlene Crawford Isola
Dramatics 1, 2; Y.W.C.A. 1, 2, President 2; **Retrospect** Staff 1; Phi Theta Kappa 1, 2, Secretary 2; Lee Society, Secretary; Secretary Sophomore Class; F.T.A. 2, Historian.
"You'd think she's quiet, but look at that twinkle in her eyes."

Jack Crowell Itta Bena
Int. Rel. Club 1, 2, President 2; Phi Theta Kappa 1, 2, V.-Pres. 1, President 2; **Retrospect** Staff 2, Editor; Lee Society.
"The great pleasure of life is doing what people say cannot be done."



Hugh Crowley Drew
"Fatigue"
F.T.A. 2; Wilson Society.
"Though the most be players, some must be spectators."

Harold Dacus Stewart
Int. Rel. Club; Y.M.C.A., Reporter; B.S.U., President; Dramatics; Religious Council; Lee Society.
"A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance."

Charles Dale Duck Hill
Int. Rel. Club 1, 2; Wilson Society.
"It is strange that so great a statesman should be so sublime a scholar."

Billy Daves Tiptonville, Tenn.
B.T.U. 1, 2; Choir 1; Band; Dramatics; President Lee Society.
"He lives to learn in life's hard school."

James Dobbs Mathiston
Lee Society
"Posterity gives to every man his proper praise."

Helen Dollar Moorhead
Y.W.C.A. 1, 2; Lee Society
"When she passed, it seemed like the ceasing of exquisite music."

Jessie Doyle Boyle
Wilson Society; Track.
"With gentle yet prevailing force, Intent upon his destined course."

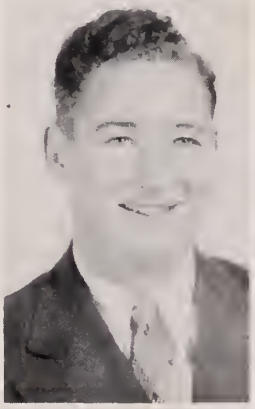
William M. Durham Friars Point
"Sugar"
Retrospect 1; Lee Society; F.T.A.; Football, Captain 2; Baseball; Basketball.
"A man after his own heart."

Calton J. Edwards Moorhead
F.T.A. 2; Wilson Society.
"The man that loves and laughs must sure do well."

Maurice Estes Eupora
Int. Rel. Club 1, 2; Treasurer Freshman Class; Dramatics; Wilson Society.
"I have a heart with room for every joy."

Jack Feigler Philipp
Wilson Society; Football.
"He seems to wear one universal grin."

Leon Frances Saltillo
"Duroc"
M.Y.F. 1, 2; F.T.A. 2; Lee Society; Basketball Mgr. 1, 2;
"Much learning doth make thee mad."



Anibal Garcia
Latin-American Club, President; Int. Rel. Club; Wilson Society.
"We have been friends together in sunshine and in shade."

John Garrard Isola
Band; Lee Society; Basketball.
"With his eyes in flood with laughter."

Roy Steve Goodson Holcomb
"Skippy"
Wilson Society
"Not too serious, not too gay, But a jolly sport in every way."

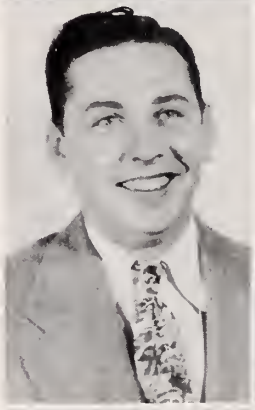
John Howard Gorman Greenville
Lee Society
"Keep up appearance what ever you do."

Elowayne Gray Dorsey
Y. W. C. A.; F. T. A.; Lee Society; Basketball.
"Good hearted, honest, gay—a good sport, and an enjoyable companion."

Evelyn Green Moorhead
F.T.A.; Lee Society; Basketball.
"A good athlete, and a generous nature."

Sam Green Moorhead
F. T. A.; B. T. U.; Chorus; President Freshman Class; President Sophomore Class; Wilson Society; Football; Basketball; Baseball.
"An earnest student, respected by classmates and liked by fellow students because of his perpetuated good nature."

Thomas Greene Itta Bena
"Tommy"
Int. Rel. Club 1, 2; Dramatics 1, 2; **Retrospect** Staff, Organizations Editor; Lee Society.
"Man could direct his ways by plain reason, but God has given us flavour to brighten the days of man's pilgrimage."



John Elton Hall Cascilla
Int. Rel. Club 2; Wilson Society.
"If it be possible, as much as lieth in you, live peacefully with all men."

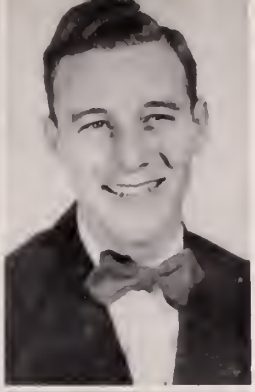
Albert Hammonds Holcomb
B.T.U.; Wilson Society; Volleyball; Tennis.
"I never let my studies interfere with my education."

James High Silver City
Lee Society.
"My youth may wear and waste, but it shall never rust in my possession."

Juanita Holland Sunflower
Sunflower **Petals** 1, Editor; Debating Club 1, Secretary; Int. Rel. Club 1, 2, Secretary 2; Dramatics Club 1; Cheerleader 1. 2;Wilson Society, Secretary; Y. W. C. A. 2; **Retrospect** Staff 2; Who's Who; Basketball.
"There was a star danced and under that I was born."

Prentiss Hooper Chickasaw, Ala.
"Repooh"
Sunflower **Petals** 2; **Retrospect** 1, 2, Art Editor; Chorus 2; Football 1; Wilson Society.
"Some folks are wise, and some are otherwise."

Calvin King Lambert
"Pot"
Int. Rel. Club 1; Lee Society; Football; Baseball.
"I consider the world as made for me, not me for the world."

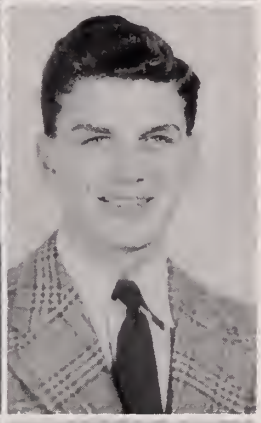


William King Lambert
"Billy"
Band, Drum Major; Wilson Society; Softball; Tennis; Volleyball.
"A gay companion, a congenial comrade ready for fun and any good time."

Bostic Knight Saltillo
Lee Society; Basketball.
"Life is not a spectacle or a feast; it is a predicament."

James Leverette Duck Hill
Wilson Society; Basketball; Track; Miss. State Transfer.
"I do not always admire what I love, neither do I always love what I admire."

Billye Love Eupora
Dramatics; Y. W. C. A. 2; F. T. A., Librarian; Wilson Society; Basketball. Wood Junior College transfer.
"A happy go-lucky disposition, a desire to accommodate, which makes her universally popular."



E. F. Love Itta Bena
"Taw"
Wilson Society.
"Ah, life could be so beautiful, yet never is."

W. B. Lovett Shaw
Int. Rel. Club 2; F. T. A. 2; Lee Society.
"One must have lived greatly whose record would bear the full light of day from beginning to close."

David McCaleb Tchula
"Romeo"
Wilson Society
"Romeo, Romeo, where art thou?"

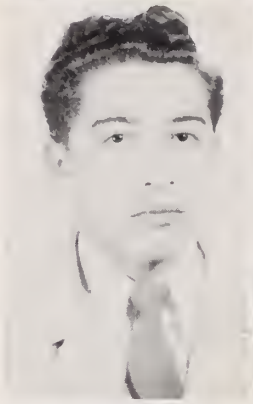
Jo McCarty Itta Bena
Y. W. C. A.; Dramatics 1, 2, President 2; Chorus 1, 2; Phi Theta Kappa 2; B. S. U. 2; Lee Society; Who's Who.
"Quiet dignity, honesty, sincerity, a capable student."

Kenneth McCarty Moorhead
Int. Rel. Club 1, 2; Phi Theta Kappa; Sunflower **Petals**, Bus. Manager 2; **Retrospect**; Wilson Society; Tennis.
"Put not your trust in money, but put your money in trust."

John B. Martin Belzoni
"Bean"
Phi Theta Kappa 2; Lee Society
Football; Track.
"To the man who himself strives earnestly, God also lends a helping hand."

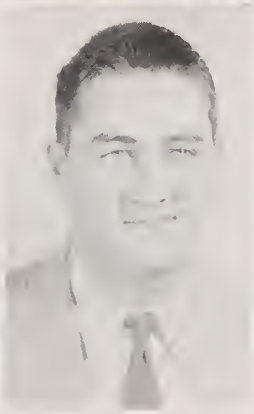
Neil O. McDuffie Hattisburg
"Stuffy"
Int. Rel. Club; Wilson Society; Football.
"Wit makes its own welcome and levels all distinctions."

Elas Mendoza Lela, Honduras
Wilson Society.
"An essential of a happy life is freedom from care."



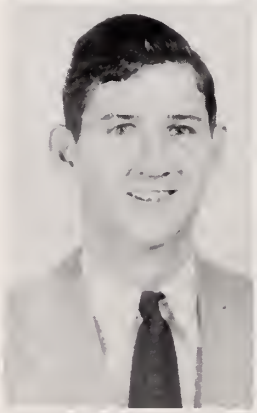
Loye Mims Greenwood
Int. Rel. Club 2; Lee Society; Football.
"It won't do you any good to agree with me for I've already changed my mind."

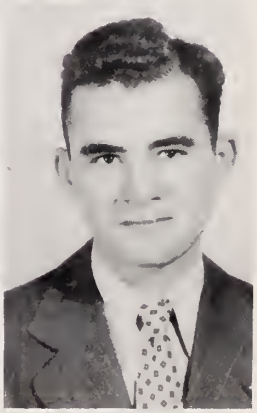
Troy Mims Greenwood
Int. Rel. Club; Lee Society; Football.
"History is only a confused heap of facts."



John Richard Moore Indianola
"Dick"
Wilson Society.
"Without friends no one would choose to live, even if he had all other goods."

Rasha Moore Jackson
Wilson Society
"Complete unity of aim is the traditional condition of genuine and sincere friendship."



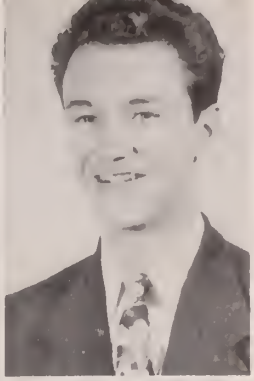


W. D. Newton Marks
Lee Society.
"In quietness and confidence shall be your strength."

Robert McCool Leland
Chorus; Dramatics; Int. Rel. Club; Football; Lee Society.
"Woman reduces us all to the common denominator."

Wayne Organ Holcomb
"Men do not value a good deed until it brings a reward."

Wheeler G. Ransom Duck Hill
"Handsome"
Int. Rel. Club 1, 2; Wilson Society.
"He is like the cock who thought the sun had risen to hear him crow."



Gene Riggs Greenwood
Chorus 1; Lee Society.
"An individuality of expression, and an overwhelming capacity for fun."

Hubert Rodgers Belzoni
"Our dignity is not in what we do, but in what we understand."

C. W. Sandidge Ruleville
"Knowledge is the only instrument of production that is not subject to diminishing returns."

Herbert Savell Hollandale
"Shine"
Y. M. C. A.; Religious Council; B. S. U., President; Dramatics; Chorus; Wilson Society; Baseball.
"Let us raise a standard to which the wise and honest can repair; the rest is in the hands of God."

Jimmie Seals Columbus
Wilson Society; Football.
"Let every man mind his own business."

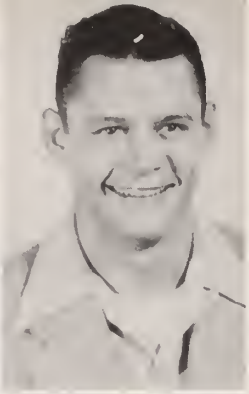
Morris Shaeffer Kilmichael
Int. Rel. Club.
"Steadfast in purpose, quiet and likeable."

Donald Shipp Moorhead
Phi Theta Kappa 2; Sunflower **Petals**, Reporter; Religious Council; Lee Society.
"The universe is full of magical things, patiently waiting for our wits to grow sharper."

Cecil Prestige Red Bay, Ala.
Lee Society; Basketball.
"He is a gentleman because his nature is kind and affable to every creature."

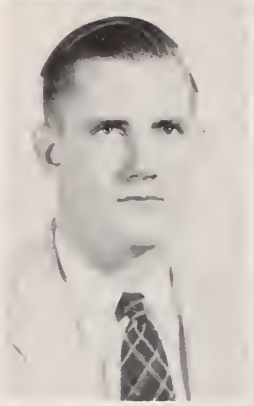
Faye Sims Lambert
Y. W. C. A.; Chorus; Sunflower **Petals**; Cheer Leader; Wilson Society; Who's Who.
"It must be so, for miracles are ceased, and therefore we must needs admit the means how things are perfected."

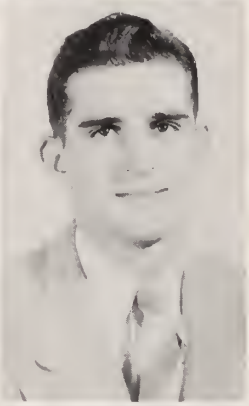
Randle Stacy Marietta
Lee Society· Tennis; Baseball; Track.
"One who enjoys life, and has lots of friends."



Charles Switzer Greenville
"Swit"
Lee Society; Football.
"I'll tackle anything once."

William Switzer Belzoni
"Tooter"
Wilson Society.
"True friendship is like sound health —the value of it is seldom known until it be lost."





James Tanner Lafayette, Ala.
"Mumbles"
Int. Rel. Club 1, 2; Lee Society; Football.
"Five minutes late — zounds, I've been five minutes late all my life!"

Margaret Taylor Inverness
Dramatics; Chorus; Y. W. C. A.; F. T. A.; Wilson Society; Basketball; Ole Miss Transfer.
"A girl of independent ideas, a likeable personality, a devoted friend."

Bonnie Jean Townsend Sunflower
Y. W. C. A. 2; Sunflower **Petals.** Fashion Editor; Wilson Society; Basketball.
"A friend may well be reckoned the masterpiece of nature."

Margie Upchurch Moorhead
B. S. U. 1, Secretary; Y. W. C. A. 1 2; Lee Society.
"Simplicity, sweetness, she pursues her own course without ostentation."

Alejandro Vasquez Hatillo, Puerto Rica
Wilson Society.
"As a man he seems of cheerful yesterdays and confident tomorrows."

Edward Slaughter Silver City
Wilson Society.
"The fruits of the tree of knowledge are varied; he must be strong indeed who can digest all of them."

Darry Wade Belzoni
"Punchy"
Int. Rel. Club 1; F. T. A. 2; Wilson Society; Football; Baseball; Basketball.
"In friendship I early was taught to believe."

Bena White Holcomb
Dramatics 1; Y. W. C. A., Secretary; Sunflower **Petals**, Bus. Mgr.; M. Y. F.; F. T. A. 2; Lee Society.
"An unassuming bearing, sweet dignity, quiet, charming.

Joyce Whitten Shaw
Y. W. C. A. 1; B. S. U. 2; Lee Society; Basketball.
"Grace of body, prettiness of face, are added to a startling energy for living".

Nancy White Holcomb
Dramatics; Y. W. C. A. 1, 2; Religious Council 1, 2, Secretary 2; Chorus 1; M. Y. F. 1, 2, Secretary 2; F. T. A., V.-Pres. 2; Wilson Society; Who's Who.
"A dancing shape, an image gay; to haunt, to startle, and waylay."

Odis Wilkinson Yazoo City
V.-Pres. Freshman Class; Lee Society; Football; Track; Baseball.
"I hope I shall have leisure to make good."

Charles Wilbourn Water Valley
Int. Rel. Club 2; Phi Theta Kappa 1, 2, Treasurer 1, V.-Pres. 2; Dramatics; Wilson Society.
"A friend more precious than unnumbered gold."

Barry Wood Indianola
Chorus 2; Int. Rel. Club 1, V.-Pres.; Sunflower **Petals** 1, Assistant Editor; **Retrospect** Staff, Art Editor; Band.
"To each is given a certain inward talent."

Hibbler Windham Aliceville, Ala.
Wilson Society; Football.
"I'll turn over a new leaf—tomorrow."

Billy Wray Columbus
"B"
Wilson Society; Football; Baseball; Track.
"I know what's what."

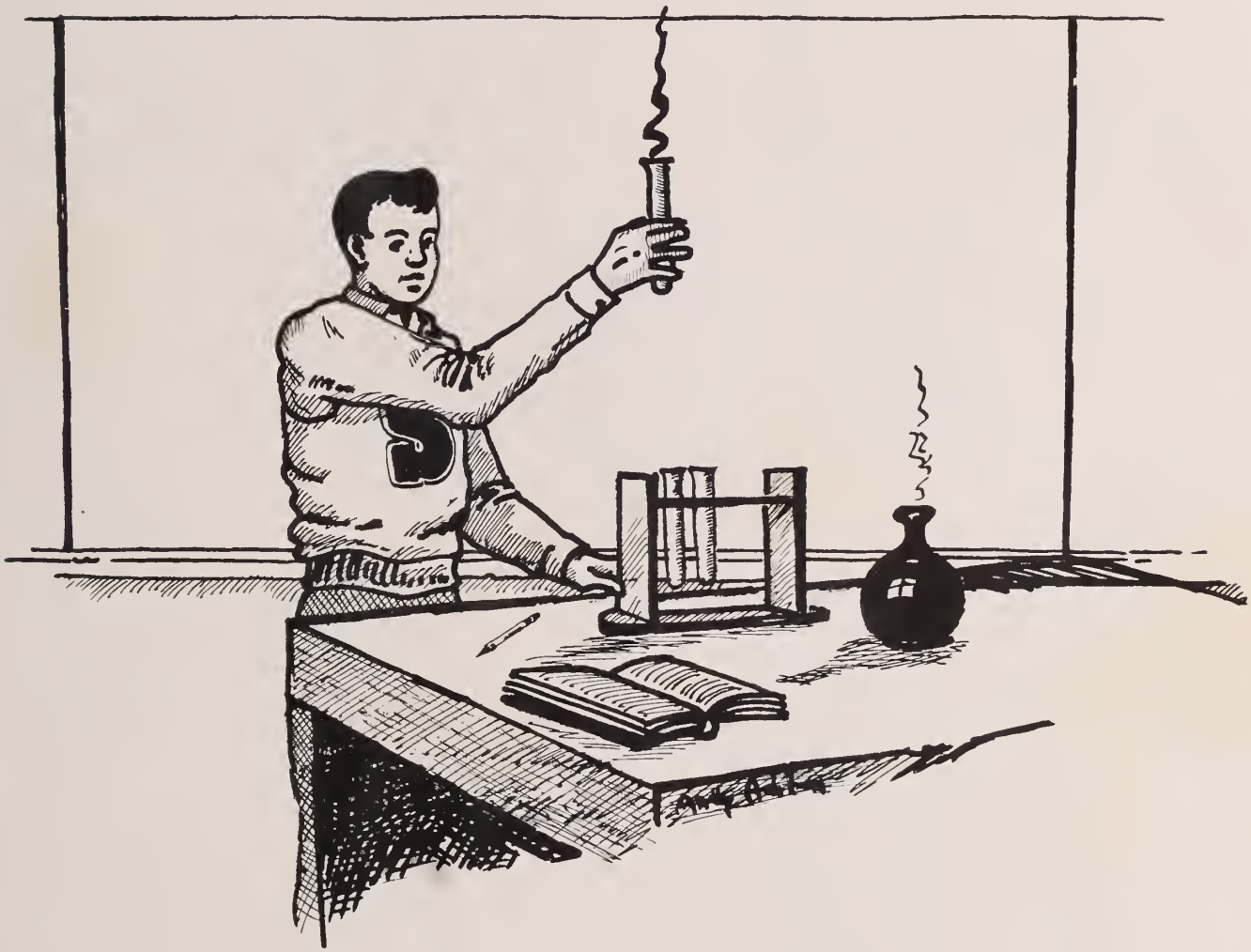
Horace White Guntown
Y. M. C. A. 2, Secretary; M. Y. F., President; Chorus; Lee Society.
"A pleasing smile with a cheerful background."

Bill Yarbrough Indianola
Lee Society; Ole Miss transfer.
"In the ordinary business of life, industry can do anything which genius can do, and very many things which it cannot."

"FRESHMAN DAY"

REMEMBER "COTTON STYLE SHOW"

FRESHMEN



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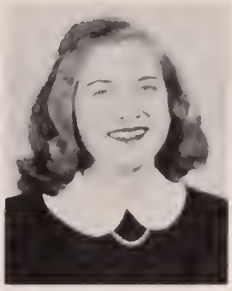

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Eugene Burns
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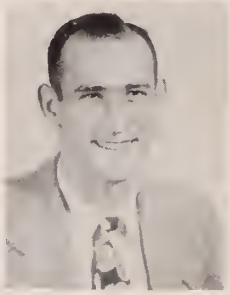

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Hugh W. Chambliss
Clarksdale

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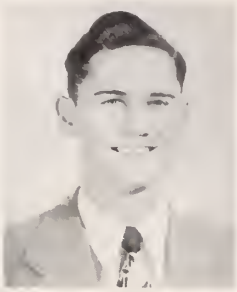
Bethany



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Houlka

Charlie Crockett
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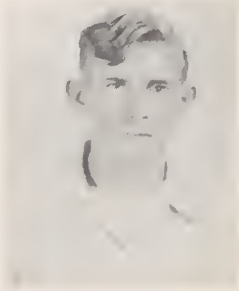

Oscar Lee Gardner
Swiftown

Edward Dobrowolski
New Haven, Conn.

Issac Gardner
Swiftown

Richard Elkin
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Jack Grissette
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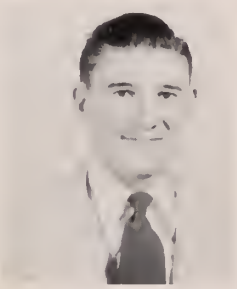

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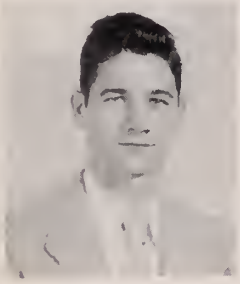
Vardaman

Herbert Hargett
Golden



John Harper
Grenada

Owen Harrison
Blytheville, Ark.

James L. Harrison
Moorhead

Joe Hartley
Vardaman

J. Hugh Henley
Isola

Clarence Hise
Chickamauga, Ga.

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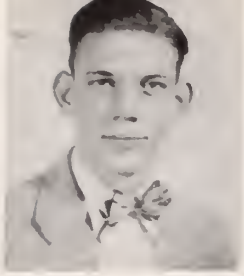

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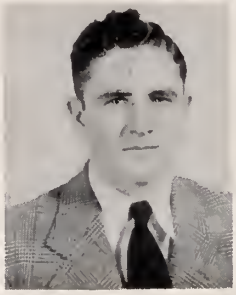
Cecil Kimbrell
Embry



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Marietta

Willard Kirk
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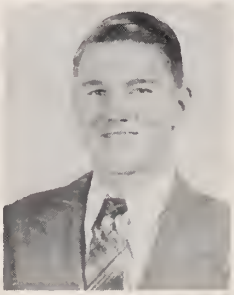
Virginia Meeks
Corinth

Ira M. Lane
Cascilla



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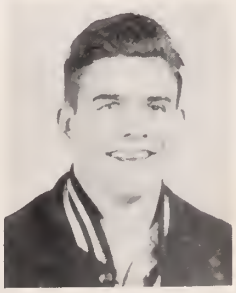

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West Point

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Shaw

James A. Moore
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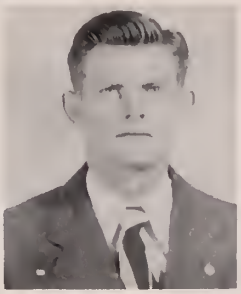

James Murphey
Evergreen

Sam Buck Parker
Pittsboro

Billy Parker
Big Creek

June Parks
Drew

Frank Pendergrast
Drew

Paul Powell
Sunflower

Bobby Pruitt
Greenville

Sam Riddell
Moorhead

Hugh Russum

Agnew Safley
Rome

Jose Salicks
Ponce, Puerto Rica

Otis Sanders
Greenville

Virginia Sanders
Sunflower

Earl Sandidge
Ruleville

Guy Taylor
Isola

James Sealy
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Raymond Thornton
Isola

Oneda Smith
Doddsville

Alfred Tredway
Marianna, Ark.

Robert Smithhart
Indianola

Nat Troutt
Charleston

William Smithhart
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James Sparks
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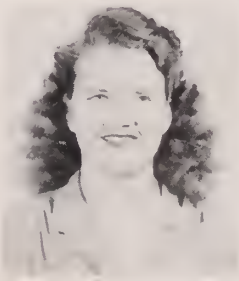


Wanda Wright
Amory

Christmas Program

And Dance

SENIORS

Faye Elmore
Reporter

Jimmie Edwards
Sec.-Treas.

Evelyn Cole
President

Jo Ann Riddell
Vice-President

James Adams Moorhead
"I never think of the future, it comes soon enough."

Dorothy Anderson Sunflower
"A merry heart goes all the day."
Y-Teens 1,2, sec.-treas. 3,4; Fine Arts 2,3; Dramatics 3; 4-H Club 1; F.H.M. 4; Chorus 1,2; Philo.

Horton Armstrong Moorhead
"Leave silence to the saints, I am but human."
Football 3,4; Track 4; Hi-Y 2, Sec.-Treas. 4; S-Club; Philo.

Joe Tom Brown Moorhea
"Breathes there a man wit hide so tough to whom th going is never too rough."
F.F.A. 1,3; Track 1,2,3,4; Foot ball 3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Junio State Guard, S. Sgt. 2; Athen ian; Hi-Y 4.

Christine Buckner Sunflower
"I find time to laugh, to play, and yet be serious."
Dramatics Club 3; Fine Arts 2; Pres. 3; Y-Teens 1,3, Vice-Pres. 3,4; F.H.M. Reporter 4; Chorus 1,2; 4-H Club 1, Religious Council 4; Philo.

Bonita Buford Sunflower
"Mirror, mirror, on the wall, Who's the fairest maid of all?"

Jack Butts Sunflower
"He says a thousand pleasant things but never says 'adieu'."
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 2,4; Hi-Y 4; F.F.A. 1,2; S-Club; Philo.

Billy Carpenter Moorhead
"He thinks like a philosopher and acts like a king."
Football 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Track 2,3,4; Honor Society, Vice-Pres. 3,4; Class Pres. 1; Vice-Pres. 3; F.F.A. 1; Reporter 2; Hi-Y 3, Reporter 4; Assistant Editor **Retrospect** 3,4; Junior State Guard 2; Religious Council 3; Philo.

Mary Sue Castleberry Jackson
"Wait, thou child of hope, for time shall teach thee all things."
Basketball 1,2,4; Dramatics 1,-2,3; Y-Teens 1,2,3; Chorus 1,2,-3,4; Basketball 1,2,4; Athenian.

Evelyn Cole Moorhead
"The secret of success is constancy of purpose."
Basketball 1,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2, Pres. 2; 4-H Club Pres. 1; Class Sec.-Treas. 1, Reporter 2; Pres. 4; **Petals** Staff 2; Chorus 2,4; Quartette 2; S-Club 3, Sec. 4; Athenian, Sec.-Treas. 3; Pres. 4.

Murray Collum Greenwood
"Cute? He thinks the world is molded just for him."
Chorus, Football, Baseball (S. J. C.)

Agnes Cook Moorhead
"Take it easy, have your fun, and let the world flicker on."

Charlene Donahoe Jackson
"She thinks 'twould be an awful sin to wear her face without a grin."

Jimmy Edwards Sunflower
"I quarrel not with Destiny, the best is good enough for me."
Basketball 2,3,4; Baseball 2,3,4; Tennis 2,3,4; S-Club 3,4; Hi-Y 3,4, Pres. 3; Class Pres. 2, Sec.-Treas. 4; Philo.

Helen Ellis Moorhead
"Is she kind as she is fair?
For beauty lives with kindness."
Transfer; Chorus 4; Trio 4.

Faye Elmore Moorhead
"Who is Faye? What is she that all our swains commend her?"
Basketball 1,2,3, Capt. 2; S-Club; National Honor Society Sec.-Treas. 3; Class Reporter 4; Chorus 3,4; **Retrospect** 3; **Petals** Staff 4.

Mary Frances Fondren Drew
"They love her, they like her, and think she is sweet."

Margaret Haile Sunflower
"Four years, four little years, four drops of time."
Dramatics 2; Fine Arts 2,3; Y-Teens 2,3,4; Chorus 2,3; Band 3,4; 4-H 1,2.

J. W. Henley Moorhead
"This is the short and long of it."
F.F.A. 1,2; Basketball 2,4; Football 4; National Honor Society 3,4.

Mike Isom, Jr. Sunflower
"I must be measured by my soul,
"The mind's the standard of the man."
Junior State Guard 1,2; 4-H 1,2,4; Sec.-Treas. 1,2,4; F.F.A. Sec. 1, Vice-Pres. 2; Hi-Y 4; Philo.

Brady Kelly Moorhead
"All day long I have been working, now I am tired."

Everett Kimbrell Moorhead
"I would walk a mile for a little knowledge."

Evelyn Lewis Rena Lora
"Wit in itself is an asset."
Transfer; Y-Teens 4; Basketball, S.J.C. 4.

Dolly Mae Long Blaine
"A good winner, a good loser, a happy disposition above all."

La Frances Morgan Sunflower
"And yet a spirit still and bright,
With something of angelic light."
Dramatics 2, Pres. 3; Fine Arts, Sec.-Treas. 2, Vice-Pres . 3; Y-Teens 1,2, Pres. 3,4; Chorus 1,2.

Mozelle Parker Sunflower
"Fashion'd so slenderly,
Young, and so fair."
Dramatic Club 3; Fine Arts Club 2,3, Vice-Pres. 3; Y-Teens 1,2,3, Sec. 4; F.H.M. 4; Chorus 1,2; 4-H Club 1,2; Athenian.

Janie Ruth Patterson Sunflower
"Her heart is like a rhyme,
With the yellow and the purple keeping time."
Chorus 2; Y-Teens 1,2; 4-H Club 1; Fine Arts Club 2,3; F.H.M. 4; Sec.-Treas. 4. Philo.

David Peel Greenwood
"Come, Watson, come, the game is afoot."
Transfer; Football, S.J.C. 4.

Joe Prine Moorhead
"— if it ever ends, I will kick the bucket with joy."
Football 2,3; S-Club 3,4; Athenian.

Jo Anne Riddell Moorhead
"A face with gladness overspread;
Soft smiles by human kindness lured."
Y-Teens 1,2,3,4, Vice-Pres. 2; District Pres. 3; Dramatics Club 1,2,3; Chorus 2,3,4; Honor Society 3,4; Pres. 3; Class Vice-Pres. 1,4, Sec. 2; Quartette 2,4; Philo, Pres. 3.

Gordon Sanders Sunflower
"Always ready to help anyone."
F.F.A. 1,2; 4-H 2,3,4; Hi-Y 1,2,3, Vice-Pres. 4; Fine Arts 2; Junior State Guard 2; Basketball 2; Philo.

Virginia Smith Moorhead
"Works, but never worries,
Is just her way."
Basketball 2,3; Softball 2,3; Chorus 3,4; S-Club 3,4; Philo; Y-Teens 1.

J. W. Tolar Moorhead
"Good nature is worth more than knowledge."
F.F.A. 1,2; Basketball 1,2; Football 4; Baseball 2; Officer Junior State Guard 2,3; Hi-Y 4; Athenian.

John E. Ward
"Here comes a good fellow."

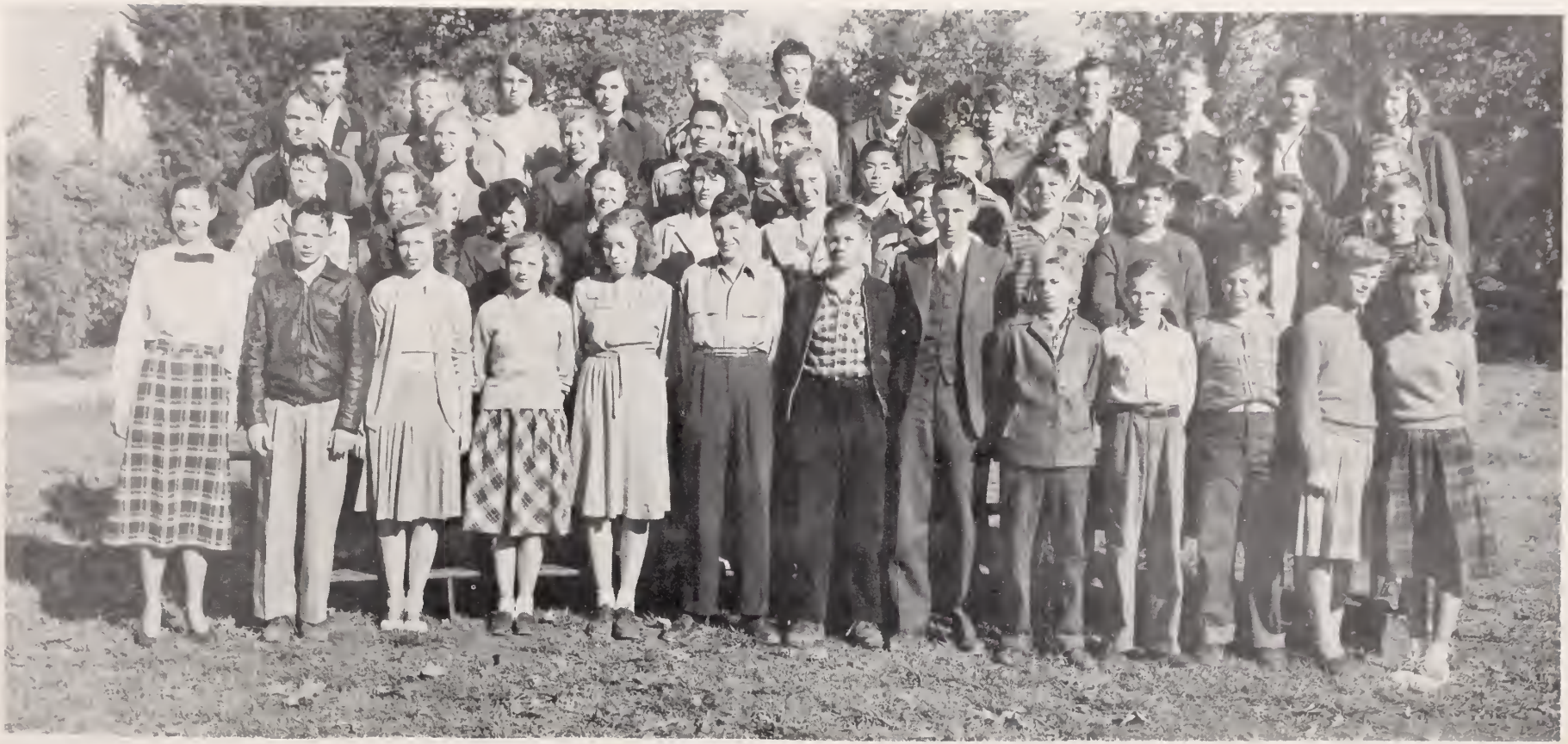
Sarah Yeates Moorhead
"Nice to chat with, good to know."
Basketball 1,2; Dramatic Club 2,3; Softball 1,2; **Petals** Staff 2; S-Club 3,4; Philo, Pres. 4.

Juniors

First Row: (Left to Right)—Miss Olander **(Sponsor):** Betty Tharp, **Sec. & Treas., Moorhead:** Jean Walters, **President, Sumner:** Mary Ann Partridge, **Reporter, Sumner:** Leon Upchurch, **Vice-President, Moorhead.**
Second Row: Margie Everett, **Moorhead:** Dixie Hervey, **Moorhead:** Mary Lynn Catledge, **Moorhead:** Ann Adams, **Shelby:** Bernice Jones, **Moorhead:** Martha Mae Holland, **Sunflower:** Alma Boyer, **Sunflower:** Vora Bell Skelton, **Sunflower:** Ann Smith, **Doddsville:** Helen Poe, **Moorhead:** Wadfer Isom, **Sunflower:** Eloise Wyatt, **Moorhead:** Melvia Brown, **Sunflower.**
Third Row: Bobby Graham, **Moorhead:** Jimmy Shaw, **Holcomb:** Raymond Malone; Frank Giardina, **Greenwood:** Willard Robert, **Jackson:** Blewett Adams, **Moorhead:** James Curtis Farrish **Sunflower:** Riecardo Rodrequez; Carol White, **Moorhead:** Billy Taylor, **Sunflower.**

Sophomores

First Row: Jo Ann Cave, Joyce McMinn, Paul Shaw, **President;** Patricia Karraker, **Vice-President;** Nickie Brasfield, **Sec.-Treas.;** Daphne Bankston, **Reporter;** Jeanelle Cole, Joyce Butts, Sylvia Brodofsky.
Second Row: Margaret Long, James Paul Kimbriel, Frances Bennett, Betty Jean Henley, Davis Smith, Curtis Jamison, Annette Tillman, Billy Williams, Kelly Ellis, Joyce Tacket, Louise Lowery.
Third Row: Hubert Blackwell, Marzene Mullins, George Jones, George Hairston, Charles Roberts, Harris Russell, Humberto Arriaga, Dalton Patterson, Billy Dodd, Josephine Wyatt, Ruben Arriaga.



Freshmen

First Row: Mrs. Riggs, **Sponsor:** Frank Lindel, Pearl Hilton, Edna Armstrong, Betty Jean Riddell, **Reporter:** Claudell Sheffield, **President:** Stanley Moser, **Vice-President:** Donald Cave, **Sec.-Treas.:** George Kelly, J. B. Miller, Charles Taylor, Melba Pannel.

Second Row: Joseph Coleman, Billy Rose Lee, Marie Isom, Sybil Kirk, Jeanelle Timbs, Earnestine Rodgers, Billy Jordan, Horace Smith, Johnny Pierce, Bonnie Sue Fielder, Don Stone.

Third Row: John Baird, Mary Alice Jefferies, Bobby Money, Chalmers Romine, Harold Snell, Edgar Joe Ling, Raymond Kimbriel, John Sydney Parker, Tommy Womack, Joe Anderson, Henrietta Pannel.

Fourth Row: Calvin Pierce, Pauline Chambley, Bula Bates, Helen Fitts, Kelly Fisackerly, Mauro Espinola, Guy Blackwell, Hugh Adams, Gaston Williams, Alvin McCarty, Billy Burrus, Marie Kilgore.

ACTIVITIES

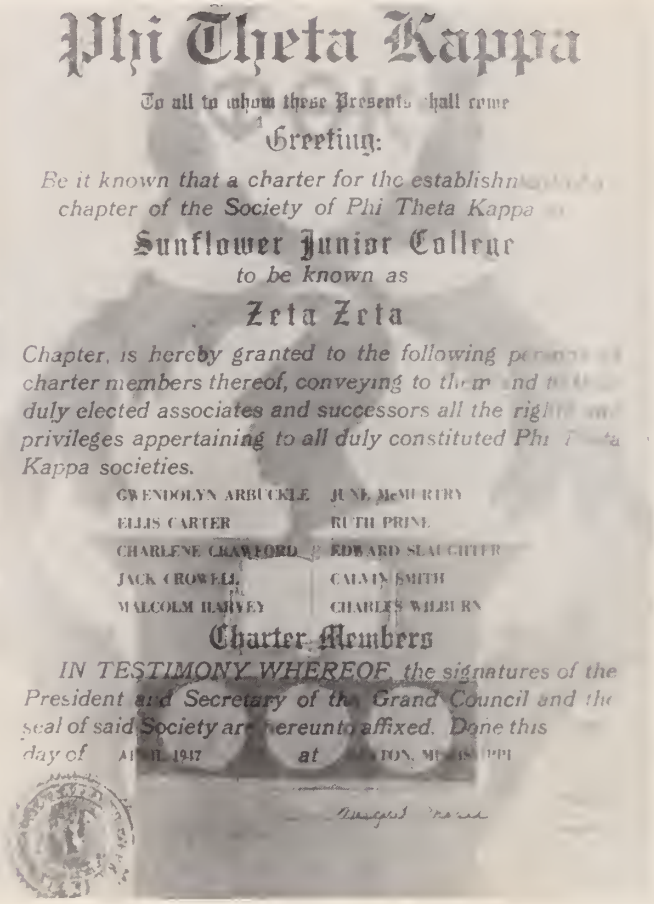
Jack Crowell

Charles Wilbourn

Edward Slaughter

Charlene Crawford

Kenneth McCarty



Phi Theta Kappa

To all to whom these Presents shall come

Greeting:

Be it known that a charter for the establishment of a chapter of the Society of Phi Theta Kappa at

Sunflower Junior College

to be known as

Zeta Zeta

Chapter, is hereby granted to the following persons and charter members thereof, conveying to them and to their duly elected associates and successors all the rights and privileges appertaining to all duly constituted Phi Theta Kappa societies.

GWENDOLYN ARBUCKLE	JUNE McMURTRY
ELLIS CARTER	RUTH PRINE
CHARLENE CRAWFORD	EDWARD SLAUGHTER
JACK CROWELL	CALVIN SMITH
MALCOLM HARVEY	CHARLES WILBURN

Charter Members

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the signatures of the President and Secretary of the Grand Council and the seal of said Society are hereunto affixed. Done this day of APRIL 1947 at [illegible]TON, MISSISSIPPI

Donald Shipp

Pate Brown

L. W. Bishop

John B. Martin

Margaret Sumrall
Sponsor

Jo McCarty

Jo Ann Riddell

Billy Carpenter

Jimmy Edwards

National Honor Society

Ella Chapter

J. W. Henley

Faye Elmore

Herman A. Thigpen
Sponsor

Y.W.C.A.

Front Row: (Left to Right)—Leta Wells, June Parks, Juanita Holland, Joyce Whitten.
Second Row: Sarah Boucher, Nancy White, Virginia Meeks, Fay Sims, Betty Sue Wright, Margaret Taylor, Bena White.
Third Row: Margie Upchurch, Patsy Boucher, Charlene Crawford, Ann Holland, Oneda Smith, Billye Love, Virginia Sanders, Arvah Embry, Emma Jean Bennett, Elowayne Gray.

Sponsor:
Miss Sumrall

President ..... **Charlene Crawford**
Vice-Pres. ..... **Virginia Sanders**
Secretary ..... **Bena White**
Treasurer ..... **Leta Wells**

y.m.c.a.

Sponsor:
Mr. Everett

First Row: (Left to Right)—Bud Grisham, Stanley Viner, Marion Boyles, Horace White, Bill Arant.
Second Row: John Bean Martin, Herbert Hargett, Billy Daves, Harvey Carter, L. W. Bishop, Herbert Savell.

President ..... **Marion Boyles**
Vice-President ..... **Bud Grisham**
Sec. & Treas. ..... **Horace White**
Reporter ..... **Harold Dacus**

Y-Teens

First Row: (Left to Right)—Joyce Butts, Bonita Buford, Trilby Sheffield, Margaret Long, Betty Jean Henley, Betty Jean Riddell.
Second Row: Martha Mae Holland, Sybil Kirk, Mary Frances Petrie, Joyce McMinn, Ina Pearl Hilton, Dorothy Anderson, La Frances Morgan, Edna Armstrong, Margaret Haile.
Third Row: Christine Buckner, Mozelle Parker, Dolly Long, Ann Adams, Marie Kilgore, Ernestine Rodgers, Fay Fitts.

Sponsor:
Miss Coggin

President_____**La Frances Morgan**
Vice-President _____**Marie Isom**
Sec. & Treas._____**Janie Patterson**

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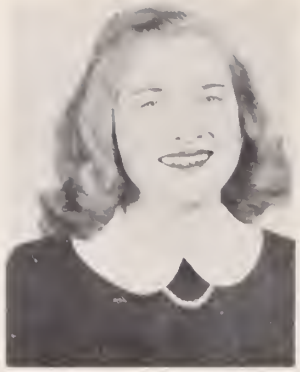

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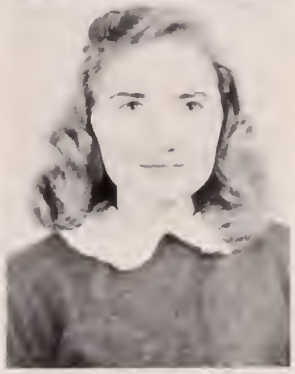

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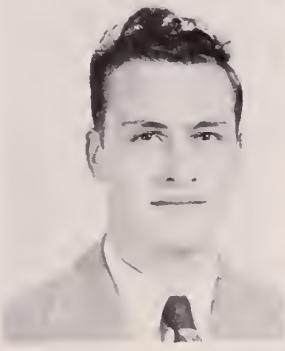

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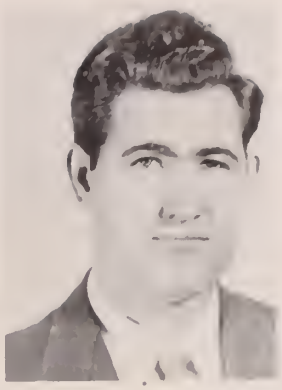

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Prentiss Hooper
Floyd Kenham
Jack Grissette
Leonard Jordan
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Horace White
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Bass

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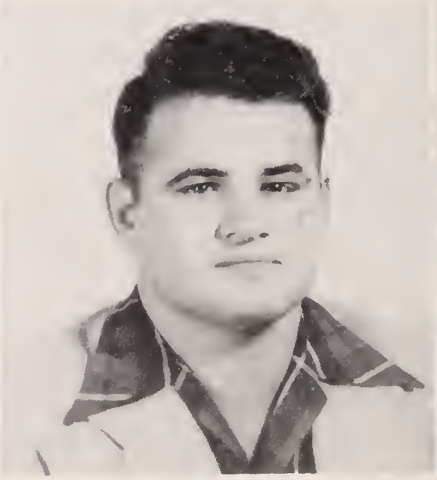

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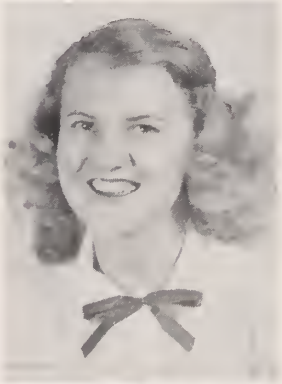

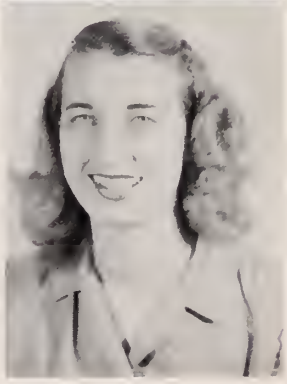

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"Rally Day" 1947

Lee's Tableau

Typical Lee

Typical Wilson

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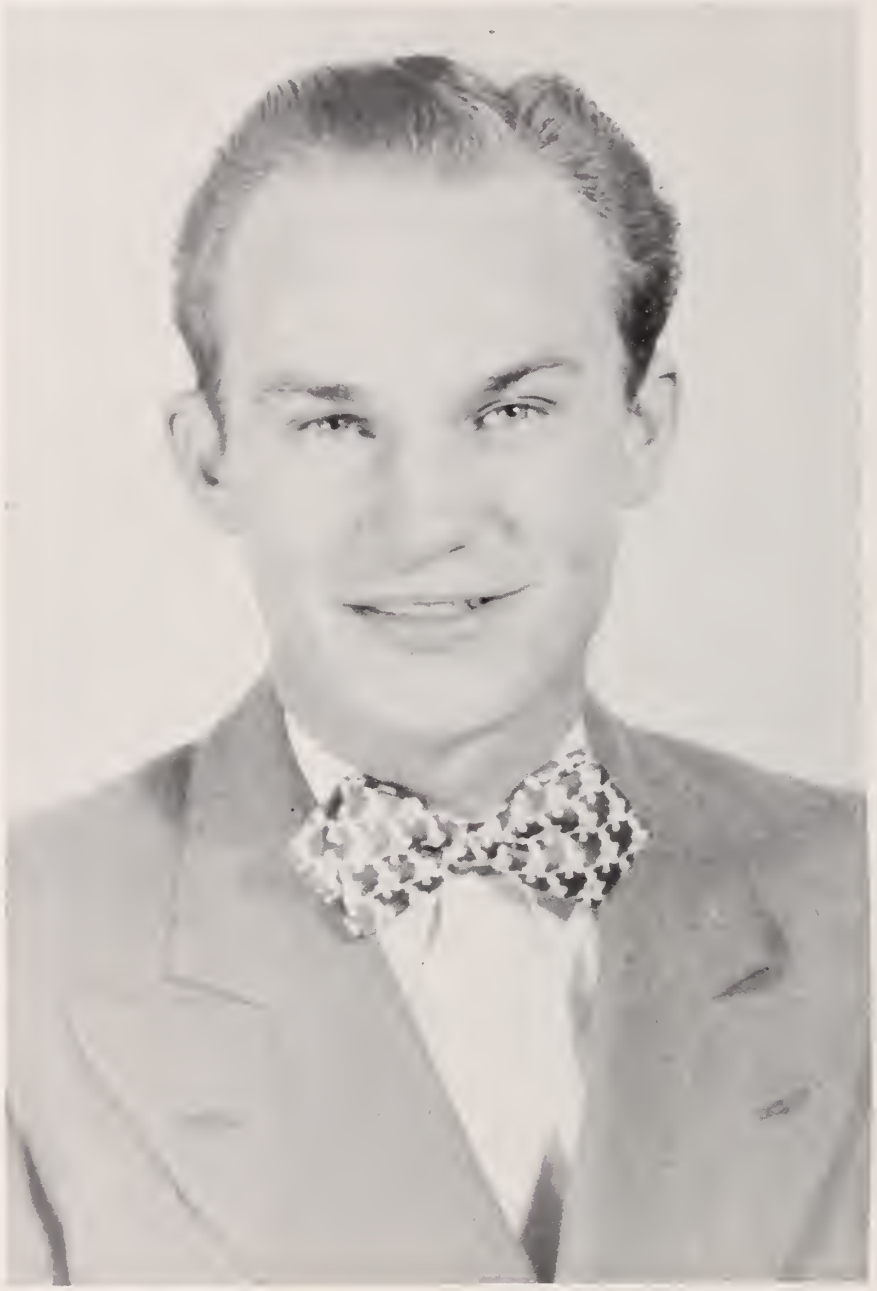
MR. S.J.C.



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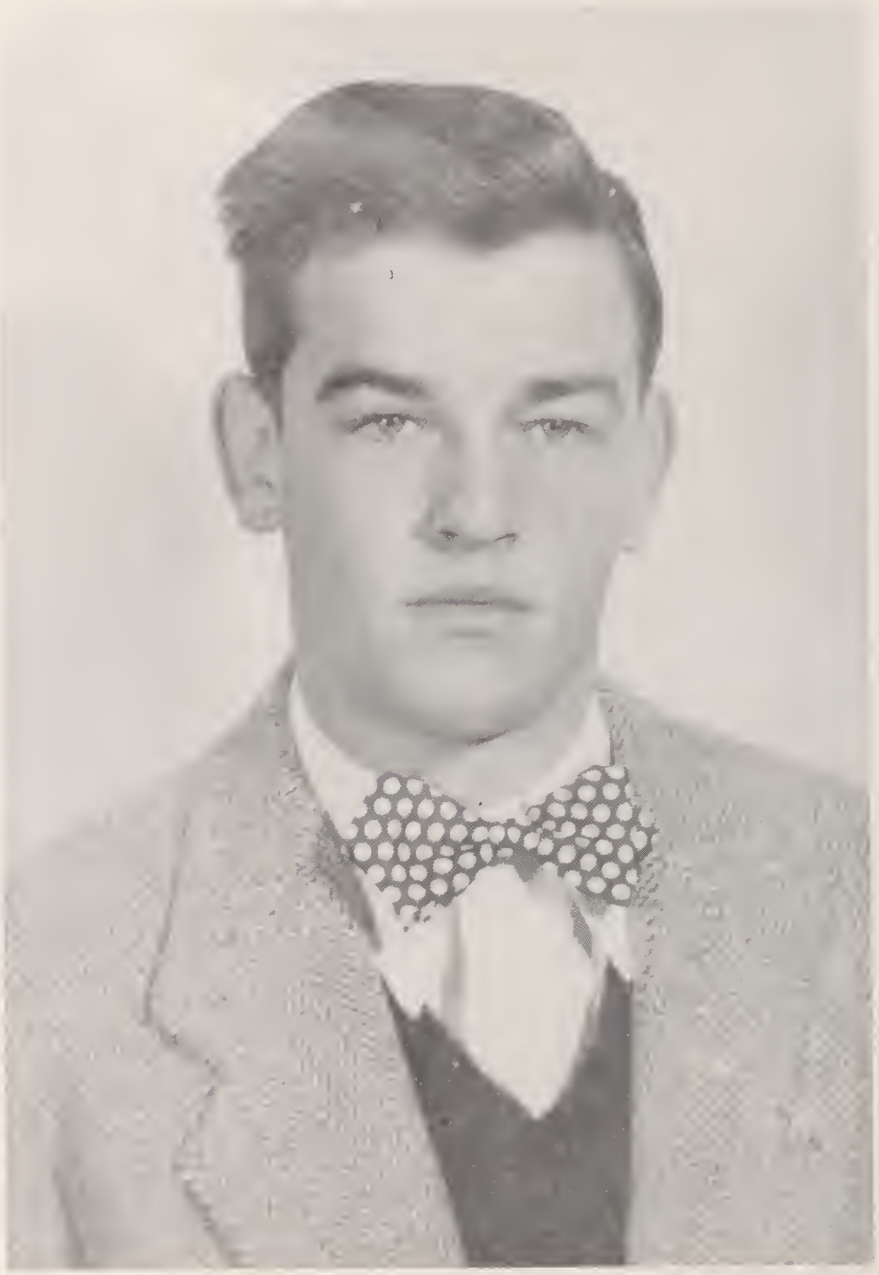

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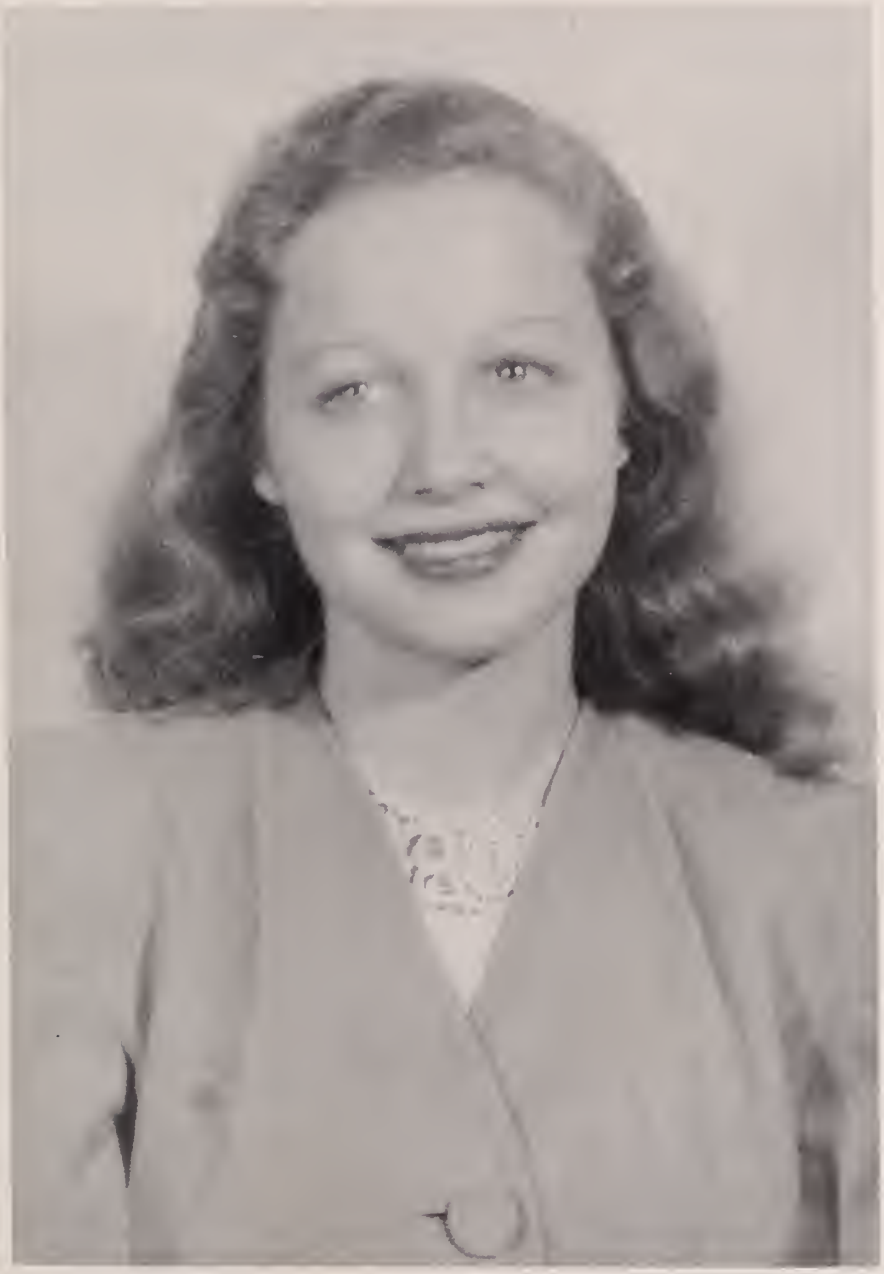


Jo Ann Riddell

Most Intellectual Boy
Jack Crowell

S I C

Most Intellectual Girl
Charlene Crawford

Who's

Greenest Freshman
Donnie Andrews

Dignified Sophomore
Sam Green

Intellectual Girl
Jo Ann Riddell

S A H S

Intellectual Boy
Jimmie Edwards

Who

Dignified Senior
Jannie Ruth Patterson

Greenest Freshman
Chalmers Romine

Leta Wells

S J C

Billy Wray

Original

Who's

Owen Harrison

Best Dressed

Sara Love Miller

Curtis Jamison

S A H S

Evelyn Cole

ORIGINAL

Who

Pat Karracker

Jimmy Shaw

BEST DRESSED

Most Beautiful

Nancy White

S J C

Most Handsome

Charles Switzer

Who's

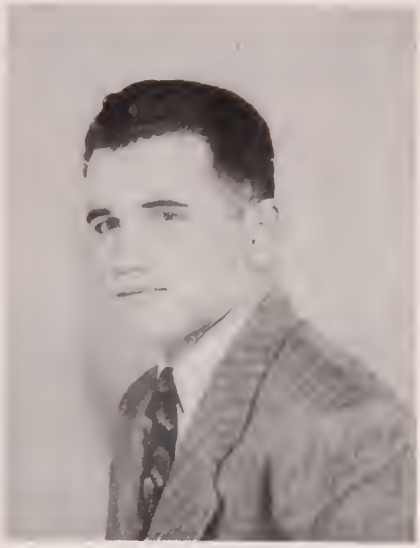
Most Popular

Stuffy McDuffy

Emma Jean Bennett

Most Beautiful
Helen Ellis

SAHS Who



Most Handsome
Frank Bellipanni

Versatile
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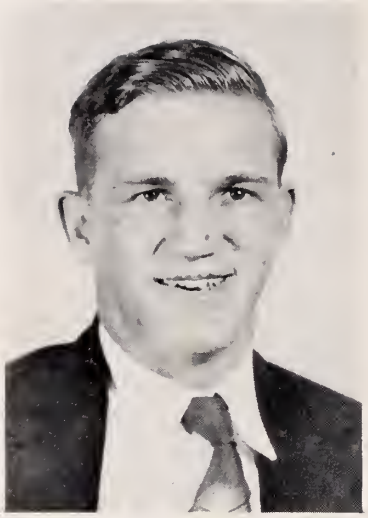
Juanita Holland



William Durham

Emma Jean Bennett

Popular

Who's

"Sugar"

"Goat"

Best Athlete

S J C

La Frances Morgan

Jack Butts

Mary Ann Partridge

Popular

Who

Evelyn Cole

Popular—Best Girl Athlete

S A H S

Bobby Graham

Best Boy Athlete

ICE and SNOW

SPORTS

SSC FOOTBALL SQUAD

Backs

10 Buddy Tolbert
11 Robert Pratt
12 William Durham, **Captain**
13 Buddy Clegg
14 Darry Wade
15 Donna Andrews
16 Jack Grissette
17 Paul Knight
19 Billy Wray
20 R. E. Ivey
21 Murray Collum
22 George Lipe
23 Frank Bellipanni
49 N. C. Stephenson

Ends

24 James Carpenter
25 Larry Webb
28 Jim Tanner
29 Ed Dobrowolski, **Co-Captain**
32 Sam Green
38 John Martin
50 Tom Blaylock

Tackles

27 Bobby Ward
33 Jack Feigler
34 John Galatas
35 Champ Chambliss
39 Joe Holt
43 Krip Wilson

Guards

18 Bobby Pruitt
30 Charles Switzer
36 Calvin King
37 David Peel
41 Neil McDuffy
46 Felix Bohanon

Centers

23 Wilifred Miley
42 Odis Wilkerson
Jimmie Bellipanni, **Manager**

DOBROWOLSKI
CO-CAPTAIN

EMMA JEAN BENNETT
FOOTBALL QUEEN

DURHAM
CAPTAIN

COACH STONE

BELLIPANNI, MGR.

COACH MC PHEARSON

WILKERSON

GREEN

HOLT

WADE

TANNER

GALATAS

COLLUM

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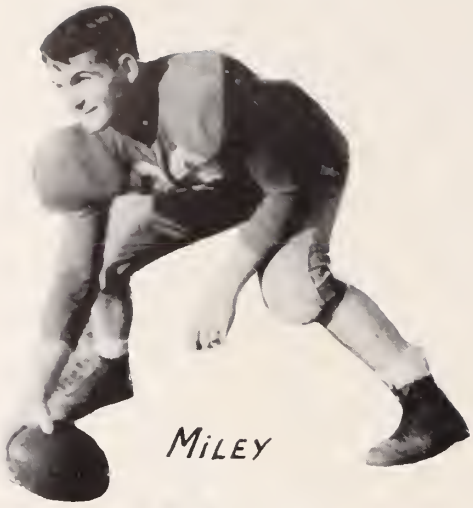

MILEY

MOORhead's Revenge!

S.J.C -14

GOODMAN — 0

PRUITT

LIPE

CHAMBLISS

PRATT

"the speed merchants"

S.J.C-0

HINDS-33

WARD

SJC Cheerleaders

SAHS

SAHS Football Squad

Backs

33 Leon Upchurch, Capt.
11 Don Stone
22 Horton Armstrong
45 Jimmie Shaw
32 Eugene Clanton
36 Bobby Graham

End

24 Brady Kelly
12 Johnny Pierce
25 J. W. Henley
38 Billy Carpenter

Guards

20 James Kimbrell
31 John Baird
41 Billy Williams
35 Hubert Blackwell
30 Joe Tom Brown
39 Willard Roberts

Tackles

23 Everette Kimbrell
37 Calvin Pierce
43 Blewett Adams

Centers

34 Davis Smith
40 Curtiss Jamison

Coach "Mac"

Betty Tharp
Football Queen

BROWN

HENLEY

SHAW

ARMSTRONG

CLANTON

WILLIAMS

CARPENTER

ROBERTS

36
GRAHAM

33
UPCHURCH

43
ADAMS

PIERCE

SMITH

JAMISON

SJC Basketball

Forwards

4 Herbert Hargett
3 Billy Parker
7 Lex Cain, Capt.
3 Sam Parker
2 Bostic Knight (1)

Eldon McPhearson, Coach

Guards

5 Cecil Prestage (r)
9 Hugh Chambliss
5 Ed Dobrowolski (1)
1 Ralph Taylor
6 Bud Grisham
2 Tom Earl Blaylock (r)

Centers

9 James Carpenter
8 James Leverette
10 Charles Wright (1)
10 Harold Owens (r)

Maurice Estes, Manager

Lex Cain

Ed Dobrowolski
Honorable Mention
All State

Herbert Hargett
First Team
All State

Bud Gresham

Billy Parker
Honorable Mention
All State

James Leverette

James Carpenter

Chuck Wright

Ralph Taylor

Tom Blaylock

SJC Basketball

Forwards

Elowayne Gray
Oneda Smith
Emma Jean Bennett
Bonnie Jean Townsend
Wilma Bogan
Sarah Boucher

Guards

Evelyn Green
Virginia Meeks
Evelyn Lewis
Patsy Boucher
June Parks

Manager

Juanita Holland

Coach

Agatha Hamilton

Wilma Bogan

Sara Boucher

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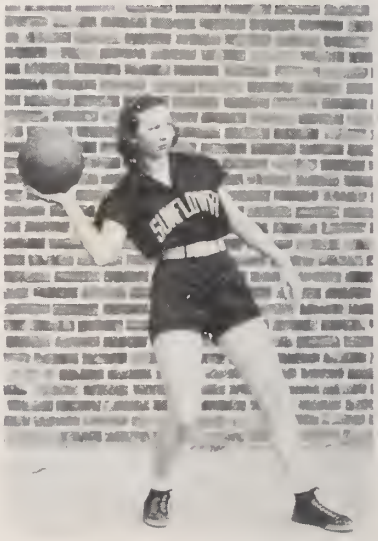
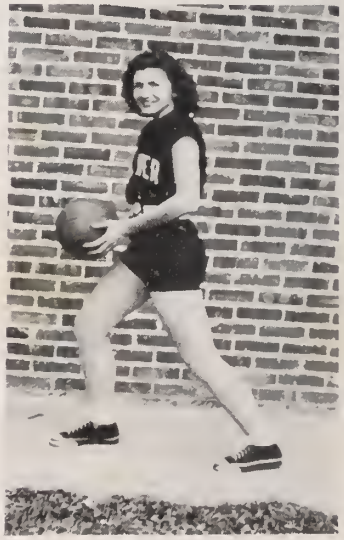


Evelyn Green
All State

Bonnie Jean Townsend

Virginia Meeks



Evelyn Lewis

SAHS Basketball

Forwards

Carrol White
Jimmie Shaw
Gordon Sanders
Stanley Moser
Jack Butts
Bobby Graham
Mike Isom
Willard Roberts

Guards

Kelly Fisackerly
Billy Dodd
Leon Upchurch
Davis Smith
Billy Carpenter
Jimmy Edwards

Centers

Joe Tom Brown
Curtiss Jamison

Coach

"Hook" Stone

Manager

Don Stone

Jimmy Edwards

Joe Tom Brown

Willard Roberts

Jack Butts

Leon Upchurch

Bobby Graham

Billy Carpenter

Curtiss Jamison

Jimmie Shaw

SAHS Basketball

Forwards	Guards	Coach
4 Joyce Butts	7 Mary Alice Jefferies	Mary Reaves
6 Joanne Cave	3 Bernice Jones	
8 Eloise Wyatt	1 Frances Rodgers	
5 Beulah Bates	2 Marie Isom	
9 Lil Tharp	10 Ann Smith	
	11 Dolly Long	

Bernice Jones

Lil Tharp

Joanne Cave

Beulah Bates

Joyce Butts

Frances Rodgers

Dolly Long

Eloise Wyatt

Ann Smith

Marie Isom

Mary Alice Jefferies

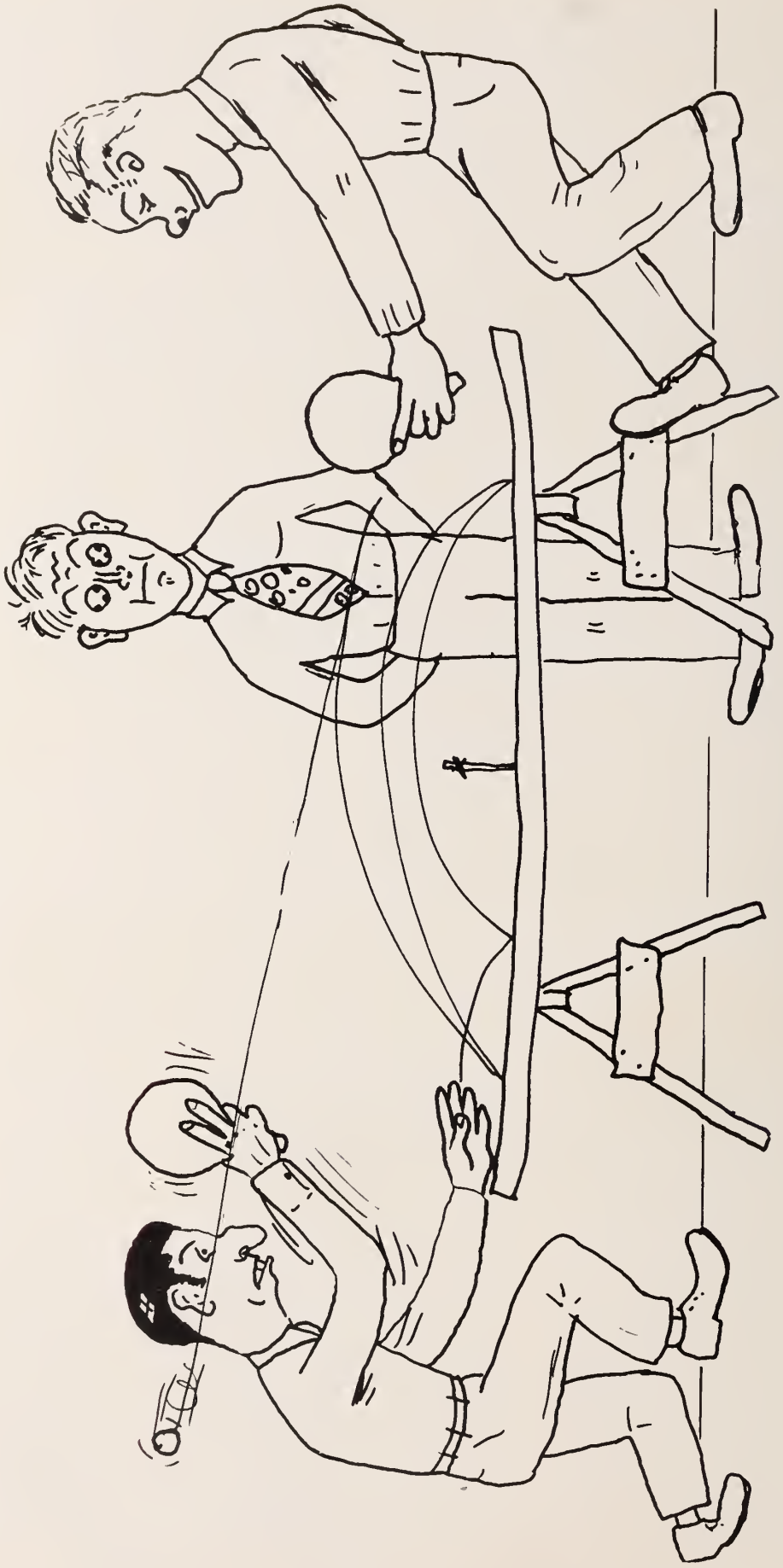
Championship 1947 - Sunflower County League

Armstrong, l.f.; Adams, **l.f.;** Jamison, **s.s.;** J. Shaw, **r.f.;** Viner, **1st;** Brown, **p.;** Hooker, **c.;** Clanton, **2nd;** Edwards, **s.s.;** Green, **c.f., p.;** Shaw, Graham, **3rd;** Cave, **l.f.**

The S.A.H.S. Baseball team lost only two games during the season. They were defeated by Duncan, Delta champions, in semi-final play-off. Three members of the team were selected on the all-league team for 1947. Brown, pitcher with batting average of .482 and 62 strikeouts in five games; Viner, first base, batting average .470; Hooker, catcher, batting average .333.

The Sunflower A.H.S. and Junior College both are looking forward to a good baseball season.

The High School and Junior College are looking forward for the first time since the war to entering the track meets in most events, both boys and girls.



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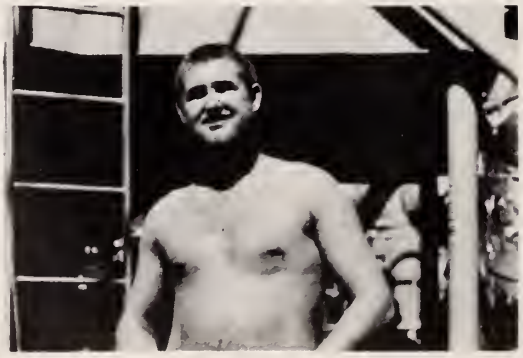
COLLEGE



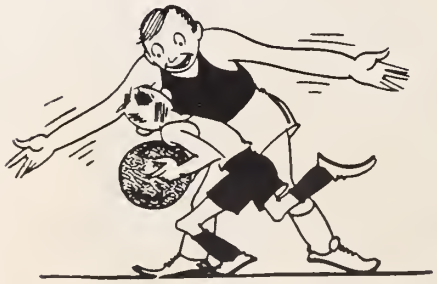
Hall of

Nancy White

Fame

Jack Crowell

Tournament



Snapshots

Aug. 15—Pre-season football practice begins. Players report from all over Mississippi to help make the Trojans a strong and powerful team.

Sept. 1—Pre-season football practice is still in full swing under the able guidance of Coaches "Hook" Stone and Eldon McPhearson.

Sept. 8—School opens for fall semester with a great array of students assembled and ready to open their hearts and minds to the dynamic courses of learning.

Sept. 10—President's Open House. Mr. and Mrs. Horton honor faculty and students.

Sept. 18—High School Sophomore Class elects officers.

Sept. 19—The colorful S. J. C. band is organized under the direction of Mr. C. E. McBride. The band devotes the first semester to providing music for football games; the second semester is devoted to concert work.

Sept. 19—Trojans defeat Naval Training Station, Millington, by a score of 20 to 0. This marks the first win of the 1947 football season for the Trojans. Their exhibition of power and speed made it truly a beautiful game to witness.

Sept. 19—Dramatics Club organizes and elects officers.

Sept. 21—Officers of Freshman College Class are elected.

Sept. 21—Officers of College Sophomore Class are elected.

Sept. 22—High School Senior Class elects officers.

Sept. 23—High School Juniors and Freshmen meet and elect officers.

Sept. 25—Cheerleaders are elected and begin training.

Sept. 26—College Freshman Day. There appears the greatest array of oddly dressed characters ever to roam the campus of SJC.

Sept. 26—Trojans defeat Decatur by the score of 32-20. The performance of Dobrowolski, Carpenter, Tanner, and Wray kept the crowd in a constant uproar.

Sept. 30—The S. A. H. S. Chapter of the F. F. A. meets and elects officers.

Sept. 30—Spanish-English Class is organized to help Spanish speaking students.

Oct. 3—International Relations Club is organized under the direction of Mr. Marvin Riggs to help give American students a better understanding of national and international affairs.

Oct. 3—Ellisville Junior College defeats Trojans in a heartbreaking contest, after trailing most of the game. Although the game ends in defeat, the outstanding performances of Collum, Ivy, and Pratt add thrill after thrill to the close contest. Final score: 26-20.

Oct. 3—High School Freshman Day. The Seniors must have been planning for that day for four years; they could never think up such costumes and antics in a shorter time.

Oct. 3—The Rosedale High School defeated SAHS by the score of 7 to 0.

Oct. 8—**Retrospect** staff announced.

Oct. 8—The Zeta Zeta Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa elects officers for the year. The Phi Theta Kappa is a recognized scholarship society whose objects are to promote scholarship and to develop character and leadership among the students.

Oct. 9—Nat Mazumdar, noted speaker on Indian Affairs, addressed the student body in a special assembly.

Oct. 10—SJC Trojans tackle Holmes Bulldogs for third win by score of 14 to 0. The inspired playing of Galatas, Durham, Chambliss, Knight, and Wade add much toward gaining the victory.

Oct. 10—SAHS downs Arcola 54-6 in a wild scoring game.

Oct. 14—Beauty contest for Cotton Queen — our own La Frances Morgan was chosen most beautiful in the state.

Oct. 15—Future Homemakers organizes and elects officers.

Oct. 16—First issue of the **Sunflower Petals** appears.
Oct. 18—SJC Trojans down Summit by the score of 27 to 0. From all appearances it is an easy game — even Bohannon is sent in for three minutes.
Oct. 21—The Wilson Society is host to the student body for a dance in the gym. An enjoyable evening is experienced by all.
Oct. 23—Stunt Night. This is an old tradition of many years that seems to get bigger and better each year, and, as this writer notes on the back of the stage props, the greatest array of talent ever assembled at this institution.
Oct. 23—SAHS elects cheerleaders.
Oct. 24—SAHS trounces Linn by the score of 26 to 0. The game is highlighted by the brilliant playing of Graham and Shaw.
Oct. 28—SJC band presents assembly program.
Oct. 30—**Who's Who** selections by student body.
Oct. 30—Hallowe'en Carnival. Hallowe'en King and Queen are crowned.
Oct. 31—SAHS is defeated by Belzoni by score of 27 to 7.
Nov. 8—Homecoming. Many alumni of SJC and SAHS visit their Alma Mater for an interesting series of events. The Trojans add much to homecoming by defeating Senatobia 27 to 0. Miss Emma Jean Bennett is chosen as Homecoming Queen and is escorted by Captain "Sugar" Durham of the Trojans.
Nov. 13—SAHS is defeated by Itta Bena by the biggest score yet. Graham, Malone, and Carpenter play good ball for the Aggies. Final Score: Aggies 0, Itta Bena 33.
Nov. 14—SJC is defeated by Copiah-Lincoln by score of 12 to 2. The Trojans suffer many unlucky breaks on a field literally covered with mud.
Nov. 15—Future Teachers of America meet and elect officers.
Nov. 19—Thanksgiving Dance. The dance brings a note of Thanksgiving gaiety to the campus in spite of six-weeks tests.
Nov. 20—SJC Trojans down Pearl River by the close score of 20-13. Green, Bellipanni, Pruitt, and Wilkerson play outstanding ball for the Trojans.
Nov. 21—SAHS victor in final game over Merigold by score of 25 to 12.
Nov. 26—Thanksgiving Holidays. These are the four wonderful days when we forget school, books, and lessons to return home and give thanks to our God for the many blessings He has given us.
Dec. 2, 3, 4—Religious Emphasis Week. Three days are set aside to emphasize Religion in everyday work and play. A number of guest speakers give talks and panel discussions in classes and assembly.
Dec. 5—SJC band picture is chosen by **Commercial Appeal** to represent marching bands in band festival.
Dec. 6—SAHS Boys win first basketball game of season by defeating Isola 24 to 12, and the girls lose first game by score of 27 to 21.
Dec. 12—SAHS Boys defeat Isola a second time 27 to 20. The girls suffer their second defeat, 30 to 19.
Dec. 15—**Who's Who** winners announced.
Dec. 17—**Arsenic and Old Lace,** the first play of the year, is presented before a large audience. The play, a three-act comedy, is a big hit, enjoyed by all who attended.
Dec. 17—Christmas Party for Dormitory girls.
Dec. 19—Christmas Holidays — that time of year when each of us look forward to returning home to spend a delightful ten days with the family and to await the arrival of that jolly old fellow, Saint Nick.
Dec. 29—New Year's Eve Party.
Jan. 2—SJC Trojans are defeated by Raymond in a close game. The final score 43-36. SJC Girls lose to Hinds by score of 34 to 28.
Jan. 6—SJC Trojans and Trojanettes toss two wins into the basket by outscoring Decatur. The boys win 46 to 40 and the girls 26 to 23.

Jan. 9—SAHS boys defeat Inverness by score of 27 to 14. The girls lose by score 33 to 13. SJC Trojanettes also suffer defeat at the hands of EMJC by the score of 22 to 19.

Jan. 10—SJC teams defeat strong Decatur squad. Boys win 48 to 40; girls 28 to 23. SAHS defeats Leland by score of 16 to 15. Girls lose 24 to 11.

Jan. 16—House of David plays SJC. The colorful House of David team defeats SJC 35 to 28 before largest crowd of the year.

Jan. 23—SJC boys defeat Jones Junior College by a thrilling score of 63 to 61. The Trojanettes are not so fortunate, losing 46 to 30.

Jan. 23—Moorhead boys defeat Arcola 35 to 18. Girls lose, 35 to 18.

Jan. 26—Trojans defeat Bobcats in fast game. SJC continues to strike by beating Jones Junior College by score of 63 to 61. Trojanettes are downed by Kittens 46 to 30.

Jan. 25—Moorhead Boys beat Silver City 30 to 19; Girls are not so fortunate and lose 24 to 6.

Feb. 9—SAHS Aggies trample Drew by score of 46-26. Girls lose 18-14.

Feb. 13—SJC Trojans lose to highly favored Co-Lin 44-35. Girls win 34-32.

Feb. 14—The SJC Trojans come back with a powerful offensive and defensive to whip the previously undefeated Co-Lin boys 49-42. The Trojanettes drop a game to Co-Lin girls 41-27.

Feb. 17—SJC Trojanettes go to state tournament. They win their initial game, with Perkinston, 36-34, but in the second game the girls lose to Co-Lin. Then they are defeated by Perkinston to make their two defeats.

Feb. 20—Trojans still continue their winning streak, conquering Southwest 68-55.

Feb. 21—SJC Trojan squad closes its regular season with a decisive win over the Hinds Eagles by the score of 43-32.

Feb. 25—State Boys' Basketball Tournament starts today. Trojans win their first game over Meridian by a run-away score of 83-44.

Feb. 26—SJC Trojans take an easy second victory in the tournament from Perkinston by a score of 57-34.

Feb. 27—Holmes hand the Trojans a bitter defeat with a 34-29 count.

Feb. 27—After an overtime period SJC Trojans continue to climb toward the finals by whipping Scooba quintet 55-51. This was, in the author's opinion, the most exciting game of the tournament; SJC fans waited for a while after the game to regain normal blood pressure.

Feb. 28—SJC Trojans continue to roll with an easy win over Southwest 63-44.

Feb. 28—Sweet revenge comes to the Trojans when they easily conquer Holmes 58-45 and go to the finals.

March 1—SJC Trojans lose heart-breaking game to Co-Lin for state championship by score of 54-48.

March 1—Evelyn Green and Herbert Hargett win berths on All-State teams. Ed Dobrowolski and Billy Parker place on the Honorable Mention list.

March 2—Miss Marilyn Seefield guest speaker on campus for W. S. S. F.

March 5—Junior-Senior Banquet is held at Phoenix Hotel. Junior-Senior dance that night was a big success.

March 7—Coach "Hook" Stone resigns from S. J. C. to serve as head football coach for Southwest Jr. College, Summit.

March 10—SJC Chorus presents program in Indianola.

March 15—Remaining sections of **Retrospect** shipped to printer.

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